



State of Wisconsin  
2021 - 2022 LEGISLATURE

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## 2021 SENATE BILL 457

July 21, 2021 - Introduced by Senators AGARD, SMITH, CARPENTER, LARSON, ROYS, L. TAYLOR and WIRCH, cosponsored by Representatives SNODGRASS, CONSIDINE, ANDERSON, ANDRACA, BALDEH, BEHNKE, BILLINGS, CABRERA, CONLEY, NEUBAUER, OHNSTAD, POPE, SHELTON, SINICKI, STUBBS, SUBECK and VINING. Referred to Committee on Labor and Regulatory Reform.

1     **AN ACT** *to create* 94.51 of the statutes; **relating to:** labeling plants as beneficial  
2     to pollinators.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

This bill prohibits a person who sells plants at retail or provides plants from labeling or advertising the plant as being beneficial to pollinators if the plant has been treated with and contains a certain concentration of insecticides that contain warnings about pollinator hazards on their labels.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

3     **SECTION 1.** 94.51 of the statutes is created to read:

4     **94.51 Pollinator labeling.** (1) In this section:

5     (a) "Plant" means an annual plant, bedding plant, or other plant and includes  
6     plant material and nursery stock, as defined under s. 94.10 (1) (f).

7     (b) "Pollinator" means an insect that pollinates flowers.

